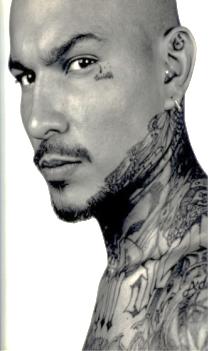
1. **Directions:** Each of the following words has more than one meaning in the story. ***Guess*** what the two meanings are and write down your ideas. (After you read the book, refer back to this handout and see if you guessed correctly.)
2. “Brothers”
   1. Standard –
   2. Slang-
3. “Bad”
   1. Standard-
   2. Slang-
4. “Hang”
   1. Standard-
   2. Slang-
5. “Step”
   1. Standard-
   2. Slang-
6. “Crossed”
   1. Standard-
   2. Slang-
7. **Directions:** Using your own words, define the following word: **STEREOTYPING** *(verb)*



Write a brief paragraph about a group or groups you belong to and a stereotype you experience as a member of that group. What stereotypes have you faced and how have they made you feel? Where do you think these stereotypes come from?